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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2100**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: T.J. Muhlestein et al. Attorney Docket No.: MSFT115921  
Application No.: 09/900,060 Art Unit: 2193 / Confirmation No: 7821  
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING INSTRUMENTATION  
DATA FROM WITHIN A MANAGED CODE ENVIRONMENT

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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